

WEATHER—For Kentucky  
Thursday Unsettled

HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1917.

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT.

This is the last day for paying your income tax.

Now is the time to start a campaign to beautify Hopkinsville.

While Germany is shortening her lines, the allies should get busy and shorten the war.

The Germans are shortening their lines on the French front, having retreated to a depth of three miles in the Ancre valley.

Harry Thaw's mother has asked for a lunacy committee to determine his sanity at Philadelphia, where he has been confined since his attempt to commit suicide.

Eight out of ten Kentucky Congressmen voted for the "bone dry" bill and Ben Johnson was absent. And the popular vote will be in about the same proportion.

Miss Catherine Lo Lio, of Naples, Italy, stepister of Frank Maloney, a Lexington man, reached this country safely last week, on a ship chased by three submarines.

Col. W. J. Bryan is said to be hurrying from Florida to Washington to fight the President's armed neutrality program. The Kentuckian is trying its best to be patient with Col. Bryan.

Germany is still procrastinating in the release of the Yarrowdale prisoners taken to Germany. The latest excuse is that they are in quarantine on account of an infectious disease at their place of residence.

Germany has already killed a couple of our women, a preacher and a bunch of negroes, but just wait until she lays a hostile hand on one of our boys in blue, if you want to see Uncle Sam quit being neutral.

The retail coal oil dealer has quit stopping up the spout of a coal oil can with a potato.—Evansville Courier.

And eggs are no longer used to discourage displeasing oratory.

Well, there's one thing about it, Uncle Sam hasn't any more cheeks to turn to Germany, as the Kaiser has slapped both of them.—Elizabethtown News.

He can still back up in reach of William's foot.

Sherman L. Whipple, of Boston, will receive \$15,000 for the work of himself and assistants as counsel to the House Rules Committee in the peace note leak inquiry. The total cost of the inquiry, Chairman Henry said, would not exceed \$50,000.

Prof. Wilcox, of Cornell University, gives it as his scientific opinion that married men live longer than single men. In these days of outlandish styles of dress, woman suffrage and other things to make many husbands unhappy, perhaps it just seems longer.

The British are accomplishing most in this month's fighting. In the vicinity of Eapaume, France, they have pushed the Germans back two miles on an eleven-mile front. In Mesopotamia the Turks have been routed and Amara captured, with many others.

Ed Fisher, of "Mutt and Jeff" on fame, has been sued for divorce and \$25,000 alimony a year at Brunswick, N. J. A woman can't get along with a \$25,000 and whose business is to make a laugh, oughtn't to be given a divorce.

A Hungary is seeking to avoid with the United States, but any's influence is being used to her ally support her fully. Ambassador Penfield is getting his affairs in shape to leave Vienna on short notice when the break comes and the new Austrian Ambassador has not yet presented his credentials, pending the

COMMUNITY  
RECEPTION

A Feature of The Opening of The New Methodist Church.

ON SUNDAY, MARCH 4TH

Afternoon Gathering With Speeches By Many Prominent Citizens.

The pews from the old Methodist church were moved into the basement rooms of the new church, corner Main and Thirteenth streets Tuesday and everything will be in readiness for the formal opening next Sunday.

Regular services at the usual hours will be held and in the afternoon at 2 o'clock there will be a Community Reception to which everybody is invited. Five minute talks will be made by many well known citizens.

## PROGRAM.

Invocation—Rev. A. S. Anderson.

Formal turning over the church by Forbes Mfg. Co.—Geo. E. Cary.

Accepting same for the congregation and welcome to community.—R. E. Cooper.

Recognition of the new plant as an asset to the city.—Dr. Frank Bassett.

Appreciation of city press.—Hon. C. M. Meacham.

Greetings from the various churches of the city.

Baptist Church—T. C. Underwood.

Episcopal Church—Nat. Gaither.

Christian Church—A. H. Eckles.

Cumb. Pres.—John Danforth.

First Pres.—James West.

Salvation Army—Envoy Vallier.

Universalist—Polk Cansler.

Westminster—W. T. Fowler.

Greetings from our Hebrew friends—M. L. Elb.

Interpersed with hymns and anthems, accompanied by the grand new organ, presided over on the occasion by Prof. Fount Rion, of Nashville.

Closing prayer—Rev. Geo. C. Abbott.

TO BUILD ON  
VACANT LOT

J. H. Anderson Co. Will Erect Business House on Main Street.

The J. H. Anderson Co. has decided to build on their lot on South Main street, vacant since the flood of Nov. 1906, when a building on the lot was wrecked. This will fill in the last gap in the Main street district. The lot fronts 40 or more feet on Main street, runs back 150 feet and joins a 30 foot lot fronting on Ninth street, in the rear of J. O. Cook's drug store.

Architect John T. Waller is now working on the plans for the building.

## WHEAT PROSPECTS.

More hopeful reports are coming in from the wheat crop, which appeared to be almost ruined by the freeze the first week in February. The damage was great but the roots were not as badly killed as appeared at first.

## Drew a Gun.

After being chased across the campus by six classmates, bent on hazing him, Lorin G. Ulm, Dayton freshman in Miami university, stopped his pursuers with a shot from a revolver. This was not the first attempt made on Ulm. The six would-be hazers were suspended for a week.

## Children's Party.

Katherine Kimmons, the little four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Kimmons, gave a party to her playmates Wednesday from two to five o'clock p. m. There were beautiful floral decorations and delicious

LEAVES FOR  
FRANKFORT

Committee to Work For the Southern Route of the Federal Highway.

REVENUE PROTESTANTS

Sent to Object to Certain Provisions of the New Tax Law.

Judge Walter Knight, County Attorney Ira D. Smith, Nat. Gaither and Ed L. Weathers went to Frankfort the first of the week and appeared before the Legislature Tuesday to protest against the exemption of farm implements and intangible property from taxes other than for State purposes. Such a provision would deprive counties and municipalities of a large portion of their necessary revenues.

Yesterday morning another committee went to Frankfort to work for the Southern Route for the Federal Aid Highway today. In this committee were R. E. Cooper, C. R. Clark, W. R. Howell, G. H. Stowe, E. H. Reynolds and others. Enroute they were joined by delegates from Todd, Logan and Warren counties. A strong delegation from Trigg came up Tuesday night and left here with them. Graves, Carlisle and Ballard counties on the same route were expected to be represented.

BULLET IN  
HIS BRAIN

Robert Mitchell, Aged 23, Commits Suicide In Trigg County.

A young man named Robt. Mitchell, a son of Edgar Mitchell, of near Julien, committed suicide at his farm in the Caledonia neighborhood, Trigg county, last Friday. He had recently rented a farm for this year and was making preparations for a crop. His dead body was found in his corn crib, where it had been several hours. He sat down on the pile of corn and placing the muzzle of a pistol in his mouth shot himself through the brain. Parties on the farm remembered after the body was found that they had heard a muffled shot some time before. No explanation was given by the young man for his deed.

## MURDERED MISSIONARY.

Rev. Robt. A. Haden, the Presbyterian missionary who lost his life when the French liner was sunk, was a classmate of Joseph R. Wilson, the President's brother, in the S. P. U., at Clarksville, Tenn. Mr. Haden also was known by several Hopkinsville people, including Mrs. Kate Henry and Mrs. Green Henry Russell.

## OVERT OUTRAGE.

Mrs. Mary Hoy and Miss Elizabeth Hoy, of Chicago, died from exposure following the sinking of the liner Laconia. Eight negro members of the crew, Americans, were among the 13 who lost their lives. The vessel was torpedoed without warning.

## IT RAINED AGAIN.

The balmy springlike weather of Monday received a set-back Tuesday, when a cold rain set in that continued for many hours. The ground is again thoroughly wet and gardening operations are indefinitely postponed.

## Born and Died.

An infant of Mrs. J. W. Wilkins, born Monday night, died a few hours later, and was buried Tuesday.

"DRY" BILL DIES  
IN CONFERENCE

Congressmen Deadlocked On Postal Provisions and Reed Bill.

SESSION NEARS THE END

Prohibition Fight May Defeat the Postoffice Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Hopelessly deadlocked in the Postoffice Appropriation Bill in which the Reed "bone dry" amendment is included, the conferees Tuesday night introduced in the House a resolution for continuing existing appropriations with the Reed amendment included. Prohibition leaders had already set today for the passage of the District of Columbia dry measure and admitted that the necessity of a vote on the District measure and the repassage of the Reed amendment would cause a fight that might last until time of adjournment. Democrats opposed to the District bill threatened to oppose the Administration Revenue Bill in case the former bill is passed. The House Postoffice Committee approved the Rouse amendment to make the "bone dry" provision effective November 1.

## Underwent Operation.

Mrs. J. O. Ferrell is at a sanatorium in Nashville, where she was taken for an operation a week ago.

NEW TAX COM-  
MISSION PLAN

Rep. Roach Would Put Three State Officials on Board ---Hearings Ended.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 28.—Real estate men, representative of building and loan associations and bankers presented to the lawmakers their views on revenue and taxation at Tuesday's session of the general assembly. T. Kennedy Helm, Louisville, counsel of the Kentucky Bankers' association, was spokesman for that organization. Other bankers who attended the hearings were John W. Barr, Louisville, and Nathan B. Nahm, Bowling Green.

Mr. Nahm was more optimistic than the others regarding the operation of the proposed tax bills if they are enacted into law. He thinks they will be productive of prosperity.

Representative Roach introduced a substitute for the Oliver bill, which provides for a tax commission of three members to be appointed by the governor. Roach's measure provides for a commission to be composed of the auditor of public accounts, state treasurer and state secretary. They are to select a fourth member who is to be the chairman at a salary of \$4,500 a year. The three state officials are to receive \$600 in addition to their regular salary.

Representative Mathers offered two revenue and taxation bills. Public hearings will be concluded today.

## COMMISSIONERS

Find Business Light at Tuesday's Regular Meeting.

The City Commissioners held their usual meeting Tuesday, but transacted no important business. Routine matters were attended to and the session was short.

## Dr. Folk Dead.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 28.—Dr. Edgar Estes Folk, for thirty years editor of the Baptist and Reflector, and one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Nashville, died Tuesday morning from the effects

GERMANY'S  
OVERT ACT

Officially Reported And Laid Before Congress For Decision.

WARFARE ON WOMEN

President May Act Himself If Session Ends Without Requested Legislation.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The administration waits upon congress to give the answer of the United States to the German campaign of ruthlessness, which has reached a climax in the sinking of the liner Laconia and the killing of two innocent American women.

Official accounts of the unwarned night attack on the Cunarder, regarded as the first clear cut case of violation of American rights since the severance of relations with Germany, were laid before President Wilson and the cabinet Tuesday by Secretary Lansing. It was decided that no step should be taken until congress had time to grant the request for additional authority to protect the lives and rights of Americans.

After the cabinet meeting it was stated that the president had no present intention of addressing congress again; that he felt that the situation rested with congress. It is rather generally believed, however, that if delay continues until adjournment is at hand he will make a further move.

MAY PROVE TO  
BE "OVERT ACT"

Sinking of Liner Most Serious Assault On American Rights.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The sinking of the big Cunard liner Laconia apparently without warning and with twenty-six Americans on board, looms up tonight as the most serious disregard of American rights since the ruthless German submarine campaign began. Government officials here made no attempt to conceal their concern.

Consul Frost at Queenstown reported to the state department the sinking of the vessel and the loss of one life, but up to a late hour tonight had not been able to furnish details from survivors as to whether it was an American who met death. He expected to secure full information from the 267 survivors due at Queenstown at 11:30 o'clock tonight.

Officials pointed out that while final reports may show that no American lives were lost, the fact will remain that the twenty-six Americans were on a peaceful mission and escaped death only by good fortune.

## OFFICIAL MAIL ON BOARD.

The United States is concerned in the sinking of the Laconia also because a large amount of official diplomatic mail had been entrusted to her after the American liner St. Louis had cancelled its sailing.

The state department, after having had its mail held on the St. Louis for three weeks, had transferred it to the Laconia, when it was definitely announced that the St. Louis would not sail until it secured guns.

## DISASTROUS WRECK.

Twenty persons were killed and many injured when two trains crashed together near Altoona, Pa., on the Pennsylvania road, Tuesday.

## Sister Lives Here.

Walter Maynard, of Elkton, a brother of Mrs. Elizabeth McCulloch, of this city, died in Toledo Monday, of blood poison. The body was brought

BRITISH MAKE  
FRESH ADVANCE

Village of Ligny, Southwest of Bapaume, Captured—Four Vessels Sunk.

QUIET ON OTHER FRONTS

Gerard Advised Informally by German Official to Abandon Original Plans.

On the fighting fronts the news that are being carried out by the British in the Ancre region still add the greatest attention. Here both north and south of the stream they have made fresh advances, capturing the village of Ligny, southwest of Bapaume and occupying further positions west and north of Paiseux. To the north, around Lens and Arras, German trenches have been raided by the British, according to the London War office and considerable damage inflicted on them. On that part of the line where the French are opposing the Germans, the fighting has been mainly by the artillery of both sides.

There is still little activity on any of the other fronts, except artillery duels and attacks by raiding parties.

The reports of the last 24 hours show four vessels of an aggregate tonnage of 8,520 as having been sunk. The German admiralty announces the sinking of the British transport steamer A-19.

It has become known that on the day he left Berlin, ex-Ambassador Gerard was warned personally by a German friend in high official position against sailing from Spain for the United States.

## Auto Accident.

Joseph von Keitz, Jr., was killed, and two other men and three women were injured last night when their automobile turned over on Madison Pike, six miles south of Covington, where all resided.

BANKS ARE  
PROSPEROUS

Increase of \$17,794,202 Deposits, Commissioner's Report Shows.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28.—Kentucky State banks are enjoying the most prosperous period in their history. State Banking Commissioner George G. Speer said in connection with a summary of the reports of the conditions of State banks as of January 31, 1917, compared with a similar report of August 17, 1916.

Deposits have increased \$17,794,202.43; surplus, \$236,876.42; undivided net profits, \$116,043.91. Real estate accounts have decreased \$157,000.00; the amount charged to furniture and fixtures has been reduced \$11,000.00. Assets, not specified, have increased \$238,605.42. Cash on hand has increased \$621,695.52.

The report shows deposits subject to check, \$64,434,552.58; surplus, \$7,928,339.08; undivided net profits, \$1,583,823.15; time deposits, \$40,235.04; loans and discounts, \$80,000.00.

## ATHENAEUM TO-NIGHT

The March meeting of the Athenaeum will be held at Hotel Latham tonight with two papers on the program. Thos. J. McReynolds will write upon "Alaska" and Ira L. Smith upon "The Ways and Means of Old Rome."

Congressman Harvey Hays, married in Lexington Tuesday to Miss Mary Bruce, postmistress at Sanford, Ky. No



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THURSDAY, MARCH 1

The Germans now have three  
notches on their American open sea-  
son fowling piece—a preacher and  
two women.

Representative Tabor has introduced  
a bill to tax all bachelors \$10 a  
year, exempting those under 30 years  
old whose incomes are less than \$50 a  
month.

A member of the Colorado Legisla-  
ture has introduced a bill to make  
shorter hours for a day's fishing. He  
thinks eight hours a day is long  
enough for a fish to have to dodge  
hooks and lines.

After conferences with democratic  
and republican leaders, Chairman  
Flood, of the house foreign affairs  
committee, introduced late Monday a  
bill authorizing the president to arm  
merchant ships and use "such other  
instrumentalities as necessary" to  
protect them on the high seas and  
providing for a special bond issue of  
\$100,000,000.

Investigation of the sugar shortage  
of last week in Boston, when the  
price soared to 15, 20 and 25 cents a  
pound in some places, has disclosed,  
United States Attorney George W.  
Anderson announced, that "it was  
about nine tenths artificial and pro-  
moted and about one tenth due to  
temporary inadequacy in transporta-  
tion facilities."

Baltimore, through Mayor James H.  
Preston, went into the open market  
Monday and bought 1,000 bushels of  
potatoes at \$2.25 a bushel. They will  
be sold to the public at cost. This  
was the first step in a movement by  
the municipal authorities to break  
down the abnormally high prices of  
certain food staples. Dealers have  
been asking \$3 and more a bushel  
for potatoes.

A report is current at Lexington,  
Ky., from New York is to the effect  
that Dr. David Barrow, a noted sur-  
geon of Lexington, is to wed Mrs.  
Pearl Voorhies Haggin, widow of  
James B. Haggin, multimillionaire,  
who died in September, 1914. Dr.  
Barrow is out of town and Mrs. Hag-  
gin is in New York. She is a mem-  
ber of a Versailles family and Dr.  
Barrow is a Louisianan.

Federal relief in the present food  
situation was proposed in congress  
by Senator Borah, of Idaho, who in-  
troduced a resolution to appropriate  
\$6,000,000 to be expended by the  
president in aiding local authorities to  
furnish food and clothing to persons  
actually suffering. The resolution al-  
so would provide for an investigation  
of rising prices, their cause, and  
methods of marketing and distribut-  
ing necessities with a view to better-  
ing these conditions and to determine  
whether the anti-trust laws have been  
violated.

President Wilson Monday took the  
inevitable step and asked congress  
for authority to use the powers of the  
United States to protect American  
ships and lives against the German  
submarine menace. The resolution  
is a state of armed neutrality. The  
response was the immediate intro-  
duction in the house of a bill, ap-  
proved in advance by the president,  
empowering him to furnish arms and  
ammunition to the allies in Europe  
and to employ such other instrumen-  
tality and methods as may become

## UNJUSTLY SENT TO DEATH

Spanish Tribunal. After His Execu-  
tion, Concede That Ferrer Was Not  
Guilty of Extreme Offense.

Spanish republicans, socialists, an-  
archists and radicals of all degrees  
celebrate January 19 as the birthday  
of Francisco Ferrer, who, convicted  
of having incited revolutionary riots  
in Barcelona, was executed in 1909.  
Ferrer was in many ways a remark-  
able man—a fanatic of unbelief, who  
accepted death as bravely as any mar-  
tyr of the faith. That he was un-  
justly convicted and executed has  
since been decided by Spain's tribunal,  
which generally considered the case  
months after the death of the victim,  
and as gravely handed down a de-  
cision that Ferrer was innocent of the  
charges made against him!

Ferrer was born in a village near  
Barcelona on January 10, 1859. Early  
in life he became a shop boy, and then  
a ticket inspector on a Spanish rail-  
way. Although he had few educational  
advantages, he was naturally a  
student, and spent all his spare time  
reading and studying scientific and  
philosophical works. He early be-  
came an opponent of the church and  
a republican, and his intellectual abil-  
ity won for him a place among the  
leaders of the Spanish anti-clericals  
and anti-monarchists.

## HEAVY COINAGE DURING YEAR

Mints and Assay Offices Have Been  
Busy Dealing With the Amount of  
Gold Acquired.

The value of gold acquired by the  
government at the mints and assay  
offices during the fiscal year 1916  
amounted to \$508,083,262.92, according  
to officials of the treasury department.  
This was a large increase over the  
preceding year, and was due, it is  
said, principally to the heavy import-  
ations of foreign bullion and coin.

Gold deposited by the Cuban gov-  
ernment to be made into Cuban coin  
was valued at \$1,323,291.98; United  
States gold coin received for recoin-  
age was valued at \$1,959,695.71.

Silver purchased during the fiscal  
year 1916 totaled 6,545,101.06 fine  
ounces, costing \$3,248,612.40, at an av-  
erage price of 51 cents per fine ounce.

According to the statistics, the  
United States coinage for the same  
period amounted to \$37,206,062.82, of  
which \$31,077,409 was gold; \$3,328-  
882.50 was silver; \$1,790,493.15 was  
nickel, and \$1,012,303.17 was bronze.  
The estimated stock of domestic coin  
in this country at the end of the fiscal  
year was \$2,403,210,053, of which \$1-  
646,050,150 was gold; \$568,276,515  
was silver dollars, and \$189,830,890.288  
was subsidiary silver coin.

## One Thing Not Gone Up.

It was in the market place of a  
northern town in England. The ite-  
rant merchant was turning his at-  
tention to a varied assortment of  
blouses which his assistant placed in  
front of him. "And now, ladies," he  
said, "we come to blouses; but before  
I ask you to bid for one, let me re-  
mind you that blouses have gone up.  
Indeed, I would ask what has not gone  
up? If any lady can tell me anything  
that has not gone up, she shall have  
one of these beautiful garments as a  
free gift." There was a moment's  
pause, and then came a voice from the  
back of the crowd. "What about divi-  
dend store? It hasn't gone up as far as  
I know on." She received the blouse.  
The regrettable stagnation of the divi-  
dend at the local "co-op" was too well  
known to admit of question, even by an  
itinerant auctioneer.

**Wasted Apology.**  
"I want to apologize, blankly, for my  
rudeness last evening. I assure you  
I didn't intend it." "Well, for the love  
of Mike, mena it next time! I hate to  
see a man's actions and his intentions  
harmonize so poorly."—Judge.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
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## Nearly Smothered.

Chandler, N. C.—Mrs. Augusta  
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smothering spells every day, so bad I  
expected death at any time. I could  
not sit up in bed. I suffered from  
womanly troubles. My nerves were  
unstrung. I had almost given up  
all hope of ever being better. I  
tried Cardul and it did me more  
good than anything I had ever tak-  
en. I am better now than I ever ex-  
pected to be." Thousands of ladies  
have written similar letters, telling  
of the merits of Cardul. It relieved  
their headache, backache and misery,  
just as it will relieve yours. To you  
will let it. Try Cardul.—Advertisement

## Turning on the Lights.

The regulations by which lights were  
ordered extinguished or dimmed and  
the Port of St. Johns, Newfoundland,  
closed a few weeks ago as "precau-  
tionary measures taken against the  
incursions of hostile ships of war,"  
have been suspended by Governor Du-  
vidson. The notice gives no indica-  
tion of the developments responsible  
for the change. Lighthouses were out  
of commission, shops were closed early  
or conducted behind shuttered win-  
dows, automobiles showed only faint  
sidelights and streets were kept dark.

## Constipation Causes Bad Skin.

A dull and pimply skin is due to a  
"sluggish bowel movement." Correct  
this condition and clear your com-  
plexion with Dr. King's New Life  
Pills. This mild laxative taken at  
bedtime will assure you a full, free,  
non-gripping movement in the morn-  
ing. Drive out the dull, listless feel-  
ing resulting from overloaded intes-  
tines and sluggish liver. Get a bot-  
tle to-day. At all Druggists, 25c.—  
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ties. Wants to go to school. Inquire  
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borhood in the county. Farm  
contains 187 acres, in good state  
of cultivation, all new. I am  
proven. If interested, see  
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## DAY OF REVOLUTIONS PAST

Education Must Take the Place of the  
Antiquated Methods of Making  
Changes in Government.

The machine gun and the high ex-  
plosive shell have ended the days of  
successful revolutions, according to  
Stanley J. Weyman, the English au-  
thor of "The House of the Wolf," "A  
Gentleman of France" and "Under the  
Red Robe." According to Mr. Wey-  
man's view no rebellion by the peo-  
ple can ever hope to be successful in  
the larger nations now.

"Against the muskets and cannon of  
old days naked hands and makeshift  
weapons could prevail if fury lent  
strength and numbers were sufficient.  
But today, when half a dozen machine  
guns, handled by twice as many ex-  
perts, can mow down hundreds in a  
minute; when even a single high-ex-  
plosive shell can wreck half a village,  
when everything that has to do with  
these weapons, with the munitions  
that feed them, and the airplanes that  
guide them, is technical to a degree,  
of what avail are the scattered rifles  
and barricades of the people, the reg-  
iments hastily levied and scantily  
armed? Of none. Before the muzzles  
of a few machine guns the toilers of  
Ghent and Liege and Antwerp, cities  
famed in the past for their turbulence,  
are hurled into slavery well-nigh un-  
resisting.

"For they know resistance to be  
hopeless. And so it is, and must be.  
As long as a mere handful of men  
trained in the use of these engines  
remains faithful, despotism may sit  
secure, be the people never so im-  
patient. Only from outside, only by the  
use of equal weapons, only by other  
nations, can the yoke be broken and  
the people be freed."

## STERN CALL ON ENGINEERS

Italian Army Had to Fight Nature as  
Well as the Forces to Which It  
Was Opposed.

A recent message from the field  
headquarters of the Italian army says  
that the transportation romance of this  
450-mile mountain front, set down in  
cold, hard figures, reads thus: 2,448  
miles of railroad rebuilt or repaired;  
500 miles of new railroad built; 150  
miles of airline cables stretched for  
the teleferic system; 30,000 miles of  
telephone wire put up; 10,000 miles  
of hospital and freight buildings  
erected; 200 miles of narrow gauge  
railroad laid in or behind the trenches;  
10 new bridges thrown across rivers  
and precipices to accommodate 2,040  
miles of operating road.

The work is credited to 120 civil en-  
gineers of the government department  
of public works, aided by army en-  
gineers proper; likewise by 200,000  
workmen and 100,000 army mules,  
hitched to 50,000 wagons.

The foregoing is the first official re-  
cord of the exact extent of the con-  
struction work on this front, carried  
on steadily for 18 months, despite en-  
emy artillery, avalanches, snowfalls,  
rains, floods, frost, lack of material  
and all of the other ills by which en-  
gineers are beset.

## Do Away With Middlemen.

The English Co-Operative Whole-  
sale society is one of the largest man-  
ufacturing enterprises in the world,  
has factories scattered all over Eng-  
land, in which almost every variety of  
useful article is made, and owns its  
own farms, dairies and creameries.  
Most of the other wholesale societies  
carry on more or less manufacturing.  
The English societies have \$50,000-  
000 invested in homes built for their  
members. The two great wholesale  
societies of England and Scotland,  
created by consumers' societies, be-  
gan manufacturing and now produce  
\$50,000,000 worth of commodities  
yearly. The largest ten warehouse in  
the United Kingdom is that of the co-  
operatives, where 25,000,000 pounds of  
tea are yearly distributed from their  
own tea lands in Ceylon.—London  
Mail.

## May Recover Priceless Books.

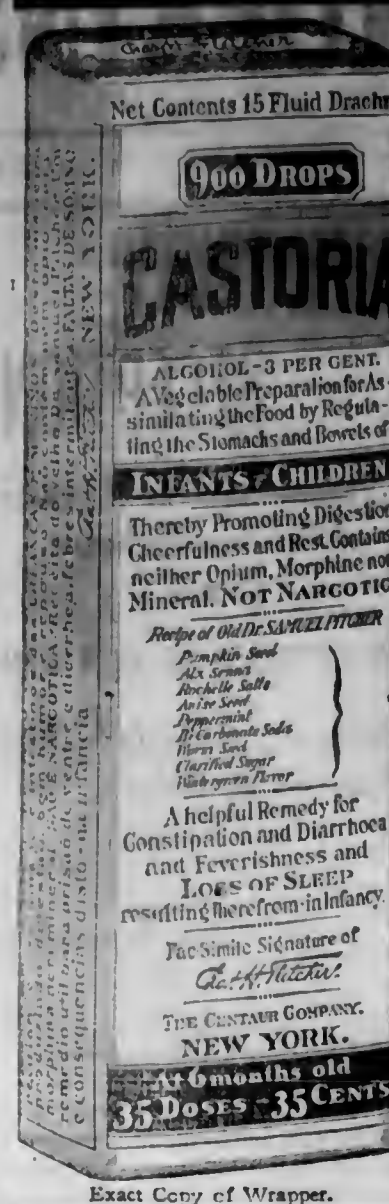
When the Turks seized Constantinople  
they put an end in that section to  
western learning. Their theory was  
that anything not taught in the Koran  
was false and if it was taught in the  
Koran other books were unnecessary.  
Many precious books were destroyed,  
but it is believed that immense stores  
of manuscripts remain buried deep in  
the vaults of Saint Sophia and else-  
where. Some modern scholars have  
made investigations and doubt that  
such treasures really exist, but recent  
reports give some hope of recovering  
books which would be priceless.—Phila-  
delphia Inquirer.

## Won Horse Race at Seven.

Mr. G. S. Thompson of Kirby,  
Knowle, Thirsk, has died at York, Eng-  
land, aged eighty-three. Mr. Thomp-  
son rode his first winner when seven  
years old. His father, having backed  
his horse against another man's with-  
out any stipulation as to weight, found  
to his surprise that a boy from a racing  
stable and the rider of winners was put  
up on the other horse. Young George  
Thompson was sent for, told to "hold  
tight, and when they say 'Go' gallop as  
fast as you can for home." He obeyed  
the instructions, won the race, and was  
handed back to his mother through the  
window of the family carriage.

## Latest H. C. L. Outrage.

Is the higher cost of living to em-  
brace everything? Complaint is made  
by pathological experimenters in  
Washington that monkeys, once plen-  
tiful at \$3 each, are now scarce and  
at \$18.—New York World.



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**Destroying Your Paradise.**  
The retail mail order houses are trying to destroy your home and your paradise by inducing you to buy your necessities from them instead of your local merchants, to the injury of your home industries, home market and home town.

There is so much difference in buying goods of a home place of business and ordering them by mail from a catalogue house from a mere picture or description that I want to point out a few facts that many may never have thought of.

**May Examine and Select.**  
At the home store you make your wants known; the salesman shows you the desired article, helps select or suggest the article best suited to your needs.

Thus you have an opportunity to examine the quality, to see the style, to select the size and color, as the case may be; you can compare the different grades, and then if everything is satisfactory and in your judgment the price is right you will make the purchase.

**Will Exchange or Refund.**  
When you get home and upon a rigid examination you find a flaw or error on your purchase, or the article may be too large or too small, or a black instead of a blue, then the next day or the week after you go to your dealer and explain, and he will gladly exchange the item or refund the money.

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And another matter worthy of serious thought is this: Supposing the mail order houses could sell goods cheaper and everybody would order his goods from them.

The local stores would soon exist only in memory. You would then be at the mercy of the mail order houses entirely and be obliged to send away for everything.

**Buy Big Things at Home.**  
Remember a store cannot be kept up with small purchases if the local money is sent away for the big things.

This method will result only in ruining your home trade and in helping to build up an enormous corporation in some faraway city.

The failure to patronize home merchants decreases the value of farms, and town property becomes less valuable, as you well know that if a town goes back both local and surrounding values decrease.

Send your money away; you get nothing but the goods. Spend your money at home; it will come back to you in better towns, better stores and better social advantages.

**Help Build Up Your Own Town.**  
Is it not more to your interest to help build up your own little city or town than to contribute to the up-building of some faraway large city?

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Would there not be much more employment?

Would not the consumption of products be greatly increased and consequently a farm within a radius of ten miles be worth from \$10 to \$50 an acre more?

This being the case, is it only a good thing for the merchant or tradesman if you buy from him?

Or is it equally as good a thing for you?

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True citizenship is not all in rallying round the flag of our country and singing "Hall, Columbia."

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## Jews' Hope for Zion.

The Zionists dream of more than a material prosperity in the reestablished Zion. They hope for a spiritual commonwealth, a real, material life where their children shall learn the language of their fathers' fathers, where their religion shall be free to them, where they may return to the old Hebrew theocracy, unhampered by persecution. The Turk has not yet agreed to this, and the Turk still is lord of the land. Indeed, the Zionists have suffered severely from the present war. They are eagerly looking forward to its end and the subsequent peace settlements, hoping that in the new world order the Jew will be permitted his own small place in the sun.—World Outlook.

## Therein Lay Danger.

A new arrival at a certain boarding house was a man who had taken part in a famous Arctic exploration, and at dinner time he often regaled the other boarders with stories of his adventures. "Yes," he said, after one particularly thrilling description, "we were slowly starving to death. Just when things were at the last gasp, one fellow had no idea; he cut up our boots and made soup of them, and—"

## Knew the Location.

Three-year-old Sydney had the measles, and was a real sick little boy. His anxious grandmother beat over him and asked sympathetically: "Can't you tell grandmamma where you feel bad?" Without a moment's hesitation little Sydney answered: "Wright here in bed."

## The Reason.

Pat—I saw you crying bitterly at Felly's funeral.  
Mike—Yes. Whilst I was appraising the furniture a fat woman sat on the hat.

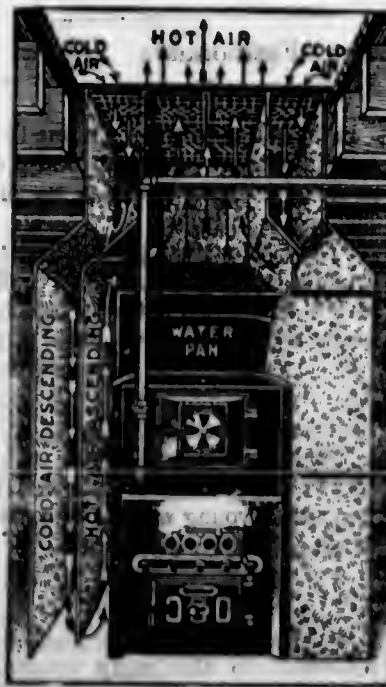
## Neglected Colds Grow Worse.

A cough that racks a diaphragm the first may lead to a serious chronic cough, if neglected. The healing pine balsams in Dr. Ben's Pine Tar Honey—Nature's own remedy—will soothe and relieve the irritation, breathing will be easier, and the antiseptic properties will kill the germ which retarded healing. Have it handy for croup, sore throat and chronic bronchial affections. Get a bottle today. Pleasant to take. At all Druggists, 25c.—Advertisement.

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An income of at least \$1,500 annually is the first inducement bachelors with an inclination to leap into the matrimonial sea with an Omaha co-ed must make. So the co-eds answered Prof. Harry De Lamatre, instructor in economics, when he asked them what they considered a suitable salary for a man who is going to be married. When De Lamatre said he believed an income of \$1,000 a year was quite sufficient from an economical standpoint, the fair young things burst forth with a simultaneous shout of protest and incredulity: "Who would want to live on that?" they demanded. The Omaha co-eds don't demand luxurious limousines, birds of paradise for their hats, ermine coats or bejeweled shoes, but they insist it takes \$1,500 a year to keep a home going.

## "Wait and See" in French.

The phrase "Wait and see" has bothered the French newspaper correspondents in London lately. No account of the crisis, of course, would have been complete without it, yet only one correspondent, M. Conduiter, of the Journal de Geneve, has attempted to translate it. His version is: "Attendez, et vous verrez ce qui arrivera." Thirteen syllables against three! It is a curious fact, always brought out, for instance, by the polyglot versions of the resolutions of international societies, that English is the tersest language in Europe. The English version on such occasions is always much shorter than the French or Italian. At the beginning of the war, when all cables had to be in English or French the Italian and Russian correspondents in London chose English, and found their cable expenses much reduced.—Manchester Guardian.

## Ventilation Overdone.

American people have a very high appreciation of the humor of Englishmen, and have been specially tickled by a story Colonel Cody used to tell. He said that some years ago an Englishman who had never been in the West before was his guest. They were riding through a Rocky mountain canyon one day, when suddenly a tremendous gust of wind came swooping down upon them and actually carried the Englishman clean off the wagon-seat. After he had been picked up he combed the sand and gravel out of his whiskers and said: "I say! I think you overdo ventilation in this country!"—London Tit Bits.

## Exploration of New Guinea.

A few years ago elaborate plans were laid in Germany to explore the hitherto inaccessible interior of New Guinea by means of balloons, which were expected to drift over the island in the prevailing winds. The project was much discussed in the magazines and subscriptions were solicited in its behalf, but it was never carried out. It is now reported in the newspapers that Dr. Eric Mjorberg, a Swede, is planning to make use of an airplane to explore the interior of New Guinea, and is in the United States investigating the latest improvements in aviation.

## High Cost of Art.

"Many great composers died poor." "Yet they had their chance to economize. Think of the money they saved by being able to hear their own music without paying!"

## Young Artist.

Among the paintings displayed last month in a Fifth avenue art gallery were the water colors of a ten-year-old girl artist.

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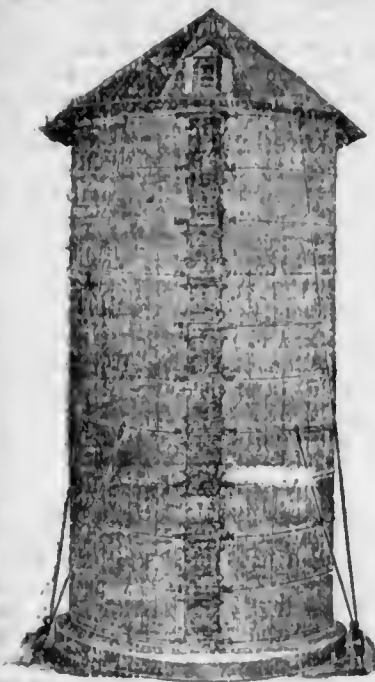
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For the first time, according to statistics soon to be issued by the Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll, of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, the enrollment of the religious bodies of the United States has passed the 40,000,000 mark. The figures include Protestants, Roman Catholics, Orthodox Catholics, Jews and all other religious organizations and sects. The increase in membership during the past year was 746,669 of whom about 500,000 were Protestants. The Methodists are credited with a gain of about 136,000, the Baptists with 139,000, Presbyterian and Reformed Churches with 67,562, and the remainder of the half million increase being divided among more than 100 other sects. Dr. Carroll has found that during the past 26 years the net increase in the membership of all religious bodies in the country has been 94 per cent, while the population of the country increased in the same time only 61 per cent.

### President Gets Busy.

Every governmental agency is busy in an effort to check the soaring price of foodstuffs. President Wilson and his Cabinet discussed all angles of the situation Friday. Movements of cars was reported to the Interstate Commerce Commission show a relief in the car congestion situation, and the Car Service Commission of the American railroads issued a statement disclaiming all responsibility for the food situation.

There are farm agents in 1265 counties, 46 in Kentucky.

### GILES-COLEMAN.

### Young Couple From This County Wedded In Nashville Yesterday.

Mr. Howard Giles, of Howell, and Miss Jennie Coleman, of Gracey, went over to Nashville yesterday and were married at the Tulane Hotel, at 11 o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Haggard. They were met there by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hancock and Mr. Will Major, of Lebanon, Tenn., the two gentlemen being brothers-in-law to the groom. They returned to this city last night and will go to the groom's farm near Howell to-day. Mr. Giles is a prosperous young farmer, a son of Mrs. L. A. Giles. His pretty bride is a daughter of Mr. Carden S. Coleman, and is an attractive and accomplished girl, a recent graduate of Bethel Woman's College.

### The Fashionable Figure of To-day.

In the March Woman's Home Companion Grace Margaret Gould describes the figure likely to be most fashionable in 1917.

"The fashionable figure is long and straight. All the puffs and ruffles have been pressed flat. All the short waists and skirts have been pulled down. There are no flares or protrusions. It is slight and girlish, and vigor and dash go with it.

"Whether it is artificial or not, it doesn't seem to be. It is the figure of the capable young woman who can do things and enjoys doing them."

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our grateful appreciation to the many friends for kindness and loving sympathy in the death of our loved one.

Mr. Reid Shaw and family.

## GRANDSTAND DEMOLISHED

### Lessee of Mercer Park Tears Down Kitty League Grandstand.

The grandstand of the former Hopkinsville Baseball Association, erected at a cost of about \$750 when the Kitty League was formed, has been torn down and moved away by V. M. Williamson, who rents the park property from the T. C. Railroad company. Former directors of the defunct association who were interrogated, knew nothing of the conditions under which the building was demolished. No formal action was taken by the stockholders, the owners of the property, according to a statement made by Bailey Russell, the former Treasurer.

### Mrs. Castle Coming.

Manager Stockley has a big attraction this month at the Princess, when Mrs. Vernon Castle will appear in "Patria."

H. M. Gardner returned yesterday from a business trip of several days to Paducah.

### GLOUCESTER MEN FAMED

Sailors From the Ancient New England Port Are Known on Many Seas.

"Anyone can go fishin', but it takes a man to go on a Gloucester schooner," is a widely known saying among the fishermen who have taken vessels and men from that far famed port to nearly all parts of the world. In fact the fame of Gloucester's chief industry is so great that the very name is synonymous with fish.

Upwards of five thousand men, to be conservative, out of the entire population of Gloucester, estimated at 25,000, are actively engaged in fishing work.

The old-time Yankee fishermen have been largely succeeded now by other nationalities and the Boston fleet is largely manned by the Galway Irish, who have settled in Boston and South Boston. The Azorian Portuguese came here along with thousands of other immigrants and settled in Provincetown, and today the fleet from that port is principally manned and owned by Portuguese. Several Scandinavians are among the crews of vessels from Gloucester, Boston and Provincetown, and the Nova Scotia and Newfoundland natives man many Gloucester craft.

For picturesque, however, we look to the Italians. Years ago a few Sicilians came here, and remembering their efforts in the Mediterranean as fishermen, went to work in dories with a "leg-o-mutton" sail, and dressed in gaudy colors and high boots. Finally, one of them, more enterprising than the rest installed a gasoline motor in his dory, that was the beginning of a fleet of stanch motor craft with cabins, now manned and owned by these Sicilians. It is these motor boats which supply Boston with the choicest of fish, for they only go out a short distance, and return daily with fish as fresh as is possible to get.—Christian Science Monitor.

### Took No Chances.

"Didn't I give you a piece of pie last week?" demanded the cooking school graduate. "I didn't expect to see you again so soon."

"I fooled you, ma'am," explained the tramp. "I didn't eat it."—Town Topics.

### Sure Cure for Sleeplessness.

"How did you cure yourself of insomnia?" "I left a lot of my day's work unfinished and tried to stay awake and do it at night."

## REMEMBER



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## SCHOENECKER THE ORGANIZER

### Will Be Here March 16 For a T. P. A. Membership Campaign.

Former T. P. A. President Vincent J. Schoenecker, Jr., of Milwaukee, in October 1914 visited this city and his visit is pleasantly remembered. Mr. Schoenecker will be in Hopkinsville Friday March 16, accompanied by State Officers, to conduct a campaign for new members of Post J. Travelers Protective Association. All members are urged to be lining up their eligible friends for membership in this organization.

Hopkinsville now has three state officers. G. E. Dalton is first Vice President, Frank K. Yost a Director and Geo. E. Gary, Chairman of the Legislative Committee.

## ADAMSON LAW DECISION

### If Held Unconstitutional Railroad Unions Threaten to Renew Strike.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 28.—The nation-wide railroad strike, threatened last fall, will be put into effect immediately if the Supreme Court declares the Adamson eight-hour-day law unconstitutional and the railroads do not yield the principles contained in that legislation.

This was the semi-official declaration made before the Trades and Labor Assembly last night by Sigmund A. Lee, president of the local Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and a member of the brotherhoods representatives who met with President Wilson in the strike crisis just before the passage of the Adamson bill.

## LUNG TROUBLE CAUSES DEATH

### Mrs. East Passes Away After An Illness of Several Months.

Mrs. Inez East, wife of Mr. Edward East, of the Larkin neighborhood, died yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock, after an illness of four or five months of lung trouble. She was about twenty-five years old and a member of the Christian church. She is survived by her husband. The interment will take place at the Hamby burying ground today.

### FOR APPENDICITIS

### Miss Allie Belle Hunt Undergoes an Operation.

Miss Allie Belle Hunt, daughter of Charles Hunt, was operated upon Monday night for appendicitis, at the Jennie Stuart Memorial Hospital. She stood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

### PATRIOTISM REWARDED.

Leo. H. Luksich, a naturalized Austrian, a recruiting officer for the coast guard in New York, knocked a man down who wiped his dirty hands on an American flag and has just been promoted and the Sons of the American Revolution have given him a gold medal.

### Canvas Tubing.

More or less inconvenience always has accompanied the use of the tin duct, in supplying ventilation to miners and other underground workers. Because of these facts, a manufacturer of canvas bags has set about making canvas tubing, which is meeting with favor where it has been tested. The canvas tube is easily mended when punctured, and is also easily moved.

No jury cases were reached Tuesday and the first one to be put on trial yesterday was Commonwealth vs. Lindsay Hester, for assault and battery.

Clifton Long, of Hartford, Conn., enroute home from New Orleans, arrived here yesterday on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Long.

## SOME TASTY DISHES

NEW AND OLD RECIPES OF ACKNOWLEDGED MERIT.

Best Way to Serve Wings and Drumsticks of Cold Fowl—Fried Apples a Delicacy That Will Be Appreciated—Nut Preparations.

Put two tablespoonfuls of butter in a frying pan and, when melted, add a tablespoonful each of chili sauce and mushroom catsup and a teaspoonful each of made mustard and table sauce. Take the wings and drumsticks and any other pieces from a cold fowl, make gashes in them and sprinkle with pepper, salt and flour and cook in the above sauce until thoroughly heated. Then pour over a little boiling hot chicken stock—beef extract diluted with hot water will also do—sprinkle in a small quantity of chopped parsley and serve at once.

Parse and core several fine cooking apples and cut the slices in rings about a quarter of an inch thick. Dip these in a sauce made by mixing one tablespoonful of lemon juice with the same quantity of brandy and a little granulated sugar; fry the apples in boiling hot butter. When the slices are nicely browned on each side take them up with a perforated pancake turner, lay them on white paper and sprinkle with cinnamon and powdered sugar. Serve at once.

Select your favorite nuts and peel and blanch them and then fry them in just enough olive oil to keep them from burning. When nicely browned mix together one tablespoonful each of English chutney and table sauce, some chopped pickles and a little salt. Pour this mixture over the nuts and serve with crackers and cheese.

If fresh lobster cannot be obtained, get the canned sort, and also ask for a box of the shells used for the patties. Mix up the lobster meat with raw egg beaten up—about two to a can of lobster—toasted bread crumbs, pepper, salt and a little butter. Then stuff the most ornamental pieces of the shell with the mixture, sprinkle the top with more toasted crumbs, add a nut of butter and bake until very brown.

To every quart of sweet apple cider add a bottle of club soda. Have ready some thinly sliced tart apples and some sprigs of fresh mint. Bruise the mint leaves, allowing a little sprig for each glass. Several of the apple slices must also be put into each glass, and the punch may contain much sugar and a little lemon juice if liked.

Toast a lot of marshmallow drops and while each one is piping hot drop it onto a little round, crisp gingersnap.

### Almond Cake (to Be Cut).

Break four fresh eggs in a basin in which you cook it; add four ounces of sugar, teaspoonful of vanilla essence and two ounces finely chopped, peeled almonds. Briskly beat up with a whisk for 15 minutes and add very gradually four ounces sifted flour, continually mixing meanwhile. Add three ounces clarified butter, one-half tea spoonful baking powder and gently mix with a skimmer for half a minute. Line the bottom of a small pastry tin with a lightly buttered paper, drop the preparation into the tin, neatly smooth the surface, then set in a moderate oven to bake for 25 minutes. Remove, let cool off, turn upon a table, lift up the paper, cut the cake into six pieces, sprinkle a little fine sugar over, dress on a dish with the flowers of the table a little to one side or in center.

### Rochester Jelly Cake.

One and a half cupsfuls sugar, one-half cupful milk dissolved in it, two heaping tea cupsful flour with one tea spoonful cream of tartar, salt and flavor. Put half this mixture in shallow pan to bake and to remainder add one tea spoonful molasses, one-half cupful raisins or currants, a little cinnamon, clove and allspice and a generous tea spoonful of flour. Bake in pan same size as used for the light part. Spread jelly between the layers of cake while hot.

### Candied Quince.

Core and slice the quinces and weigh. Weigh the same amount of sugar as fruit. Scald the quinces, then boil for eight minutes. Place them in the kettle containing the sugar and a little water, and put inside the oven and cook, until a deep, clear red. Remove from the stove and drain the quince pieces. As soon as dry cover them with sugar, on top and bottom, and let them stand in a dry place over night. Then pack in dry sugar in jars.

### Winter Succotash.

One cupful either lima, yellow-eyed or pea beans, which have been soaked over night. Drain. Simmer all the morning in enough water to cover, to which add salt, pepper and a piece of salt pork two inches square. Half an hour before serving add one can corn and water enough to keep from burning. Add one pint hot milk, bring to a boil and serve at once. Serve this some cold duty with hot rolls or hot gingerbread.

### Keeping Sandwiches.

It's often necessary. They must be made up early. And they dry and curl so soon. Yet they are very easily kept good. They should simply be placed in an earthen receptacle. This earthen affair is covered and set in a pan of cold water. In this way they will keep for hours as fresh as when first made.

## Corns Peel Right Off With "Gets-It"

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## REVERSAL FOR POSTELL

### Oglesby Soyars, Wins Murder Case In Court Of Appeals.

W. Oglesby Soyars, one of Hopkinsville's youngest lawyers, has won a signal victory in securing a reversal in the case of Frank Postell, the negro who was given a death sentence for the murder of J. J. Robinson, a white man, a year ago. Young Soyars was appointed by the court, with another young lawyer, L. K. Wood, to defend the negro. They made a good defense with what seemed to be a hopeless case in the lower court. An appeal was taken and the brief for the higher court was prepared by Mr. Soyars, who went to Frankfort a week or two ago and made an oral argument before the Court of Appeals. The court Tuesday granted a reversal on the ground that the court erred in instructing the jury. The presiding judge was Judge S. V. Dixon, of Henderson.

### INVESTIGATION PROMISED

### Into Death Of Boy At The Kentucky Feeble-Minded Institute.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28.—Dr. S. L. Helm, of this city, superintendent of the institute for the Feeble-minded, has received a letter from R. A. Cook, of Hopkinsville, chairman of the Board of Control of Charitable Institutions, in which Cook states the board would make an investigation of the charge that Albert Bell, nine years old, of Bellevue, who died a few days ago, was brutally treated while an inmate of the institution. The date for the investigation was not fixed by Cook, but it is likely that the matter will come up when the board meets in March.

### Teacher's Prize Trip.

Washington, Feb. 23.—R. E. Jagers, of Hart county, Ky., is here as winner of the prize trip to the Capitol offered by the Kentucky Military Commission for the best record as a teacher in the "moonlight" schools of Kentucky. He will be shown marked attention while here. Representative Fields met him at the depot and Senator James will introduce him to the President.

### Hunting on Sunday.

Edwin Gould, Jr., aged 23, son of the New York capitalist, was accidentally killed Sunday before day while hunting coons on a small island near Jekyll, Ga. He struck a coon on the head with the butt of his gun and the weapon was discharged, fatally wounding him.

The Madisonville Hustler is carrying 48 announcements for county offices, 47 of them Democrats.



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## Margaret's Tramp

By JOHN ELKINS

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"My goodness! Margaret! When will you ever stop giving money to tramps?"

Mrs. Tyson's tone was not only remonstrance, it savored of exasperation.

"But, mother," temporized the girl, "it was only a nickel."

"Yes, but when I'm trying to save five cents on a pair of stockings, it does seem as though you might think of me instead of throwing out money to every beggar you meet. But you're just like your father. If ever you get down to New York where you are so crazy to go, you'll be held up by tramps on every block, and the first thing you know you won't have money enough to buy a meal."

Margaret sighed a bit resignedly. There was no use trying to stem the tide of her mother's wrath till it stopped. Presently she said:

"It isn't New York so much—it is what it offers. I can study art there evenings, and earn my living during the day—that's what I mean to do."

"Well not with my consent. Here you are nuzzling about as much as any girl in town, in a good steady position, and you are not satisfied."

"No, I'm not," answered Margaret. "I'm getting nine dollars a week, and—"

"And you wouldn't get that as a typist in New York, and you'd have



"Who Did That?" He Asked.

to pay out every cent for your board." "Yes, but you're going with me, and keep the little home down there," smiled Margaret.

"No," persisted the other firmly. "I've seen your father starve painting pictures, and watched him die of disappointment. I'm not going through it again."

There seemed to be something final in these last words, and the girl felt it would be useless to urge the matter any further. She could not leave her mother, as she was her sole support. But she could not give up her dream. Some time it must come true. After a while she said: "But all artists don't starve. There's your cousin, Alton Faber, they say he's rich, may be he would help me to—"

"No, he wouldn't," snapped Mrs. Tyson. "Why didn't he help your father? Cousins aren't any good."

So Margaret said no more. She went faithfully to her daily grind, and spent her spare time sketching everything she saw, without instruction of any kind.

One day after she had returned from her work a man came to the door asking for something to eat. He was an elderly man, clean and respectable looking, and Margaret's sympathy was aroused.

"I'm sorry," she said. "I haven't any change, but I can give you some bread or something."

He thanked her, and glanced around the kitchen of the little home, as he stood at the open door.

"May I sit down a minute?" he asked. "I am very tired."

"Why, yes," said Margaret, motioning to a chair. Her mother was not home, and she even dared to make a hot cup of tea, and set out a plain but dainty little lunch for the man.

"I'm not used to heaving," he said, "but I had my pocket picked at the station. I have come quite a distance on the train, and I must walk quite a long way to reach a friend."

His voice and manner were those of a gentleman, and Margaret looked wonderingly at him. She saw he had stopped eating, and was gazing at a little charcoal sketch she had pinned up on the wall.

"Who did that?" he asked. Margaret admitted that she had. It was a study of her mother in the act of rolling out pie crust.

"Pretty good drawing," he observed. "But that right arm is a trifle out."

"Oh then you know—"

"A little," he broke in dryly. Then Margaret told him how she had never had any instruction, how much she wanted it, and somehow she found herself growing confident about the dear dream of her life to this entire stranger. She asked him if he knew of Alton Faber. Oh, yes, he knew of

him, and his pictures were pretty good. She told him Mr. Faber was a second cousin. He did not seem to show any great interest in the disclosure, but gave his attention to his cup of tea. As he rose to go he thanked his entertainer courteously, and the next moment was gone.

Mrs. Tyson saw the stranger as he went out. "Who was that?" she asked. "I only saw his back."

Margaret explained. "Well if that isn't the limit!" cried her irate parent. "Entertaining tramps in the house!"

"But, mother, he wasn't a tramp!" "Oh that was a nice little story! They all have one."

Margaret took her scolding quietly. Just to have had one take an interest in her little sketch, to look at it as though he knew, and to tell her where it was wrong was something worth all the trouble and nagging it entailed.

About two weeks after this Margaret received a letter bearing the New York postmark. It was from Alton Faber saying that if she would come and see him, bringing some of her sketches, he might be able to help her to study. A check for the railroad fare to New York and back was inclosed.

Mrs. Tyson nearly collapsed in her astonishment.

"For heaven's sake!" she gasped, "how did he know anything about you?"

Then Margaret confessed that over three weeks ago she had written to Alton Faber telling him of her ambition, and asking his advice.

"Well you just better send that money back," advised her mother. "You'll lose two or three days, and it won't amount to anything."

But Margaret was determined to go, and mentioned that the man had said Faber's pictures were good.

"Oh!" cried Mrs. Tyson. "I see it all! You talked to that man about going to New York, and this is just one of those awful plots to lure you down there to your ruin. I should think you had heard enough about this white slave business not to fall into this snare. How do you know this letter is from Alton Faber. You wouldn't know him if you saw him."

Margaret had to admit there was some groundwork for her mother's suspicion, and her heart sank. But she did not send the check back, and at last got her mother to consent to go with her.

Mrs. Tyson at once recognized her relative in his spicuous studio, but Margaret stood speechless with amazement. She saw before her the 'tramp' she had entertained in her kitchen.

"You see," he explained, "I hate killing anybody's hopes—least of all poor Ned's daughter. I didn't mean to bring you down here unless I knew, so I resorted to that little ruse. I hope I'm forgiven."

Margaret's eyes with the tears trembling on the lashes were an eloquent answer.

"I want you both to come in that big house, there is nothing but a caretaker in it now, and Margaret can study with me."

So Margaret's dream came true.

Counties in United States.

There are 2,875 counties in the United States. Texas has 250 counties, the largest number; next comes Georgia with 152, Kentucky third with 120, Missouri fourth with 114, Kansas with 105, Illinois with 102, and Virginia and North Carolina with 100 each. Delaware has 3, Rhode Island 5, Arizona 6, Connecticut 9, Massachusetts 13 and Maine 16.

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If the flowers God made have their mission, you and I must have the same, Let us work while we may have something to say, and do what we can in His name.

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## HER BRONCHITIS IS RELIEVED IN A SINGLE NIGHT

Altoona Mother Tells of Her Experience With Vick's VapoRub.

Every mother owes it to her family to investigate the Southern remedy—Vick's VapoRub Salve. In the South it is universally used in place of injurious internal medicines for treating all forms of cold troubles—from head or chest colds, down to sore throat, bronchitis or incipient pneumonia. In addition, it has a hundred uses in the home as a soothing, cooling salve. Usually croup is relieved in fifteen minutes and most colds over night.

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VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE

Rosebud or Thorn

(By Bailey Waller)

I stood in front of a window, looking at flowers one day, Some American Beauty roses had been put there on display.

I asked myself the question—"What part in life have you To declare the truth of the Bible, and make the Gospel sure?"

The Spirit of God made answer, as to me he seemed to say; Some little brown earth, and a little round seed, united their strength one day.

From that union of strength and labor, a rose bush fresh and green, That had fought for life and existence, appeared upon the scene.

With the aid of ministering fingers, the sunshine, the rain and the dew, This rose bush grew stronger and stronger, 'till life was made real and true.

The trembling dew-drops from heaven, from its branches and foliage hung, Till kissed in holy wedlock, by the early morning sun.

There was born of this union, a rosebud, that grew to a rose divine, A thing of fragrance and beauty, my words can never define.

It answered my question—this rosebud, fresh from the Hand above, Whose mission in life was giving, whose mission in life was love.

If you wish to be happy, contented and know what it is to live, Go to the poor and needy, help them, love them, give.

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Rosebud or Thorn

(By Bailey Waller)

I stood in front of a window, looking at flowers one day, Some American Beauty roses had been put there on display.

I asked myself the question—"What part in life have you To declare the truth of the Bible, and make the Gospel sure?"

The Spirit of God made answer, as to me he seemed to say; Some little brown earth, and a little round seed, united their strength one day.

From that union of strength and labor, a rose bush fresh and green, That had fought for life and existence, appeared upon the scene.

With the aid of ministering fingers, the sunshine, the rain and the dew, This rose bush grew stronger and stronger, 'till life was made real and true.

The trembling dew-drops from heaven, from its branches and foliage hung, Till kissed in holy wedlock, by the early morning sun.

There was born of this union, a rosebud, that grew to a rose divine, A thing of fragrance and beauty, my words can never define.

It answered my question—this rosebud, fresh from the Hand above, Whose mission in life was giving, whose mission in life was love.

If you wish to be happy, contented and know what it is to live, Go to the poor and needy, help them, love them, give.

May we get a lesson from the rosebud—take notice what it has done; You will find it used as a token for two hearts that beat as one.

Follow it into the sick room, perchance as you linger awhile, You will see how its fragrance and beauty change sadness into a smile.

Follow it with the mourners to the new made grave on the hill; In silence it speaks of God's mercy, to the troubled heart "Be still."

The rosebud's mission is ended, we bid it farewell with a sigh, We find in the Good Book written, "All men some day must die."

If the flowers God made have their mission, you and I must have the same, Let us work while we may have something to say, and do what we can in His name.

Is life sweeter because we live, or is it best we had never been born? What are you anyway, and pray what am I, a Rosebud or a Thorn?

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A lawyer has in his office a motto: "Think twice before you speak; then talk to yourself." His significant comment upon it was: "If my clients followed that motto, I would lose half my business." He also remarked that the first lawyer in whose office he served taught him the important lesson to keep his mouth sealed on all occasions when not absolutely necessary to open it.—Onward.

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For ages men have toiled, loved and fought on this planet, yet it is for only about 4,000 years that we have anything like a consecutive record of what has been going on and the tale fades out into thin conjecture beyond that.

It is now proposed to erect in Central park, New York, a million-dollar mausoleum, constructed with a view to enduring the erosion of the centuries, in which will be stored cinema films designed to inform future generations of how we live, the Detroit News observes. This age will leave not only comprehensive literary remains, with the vivid illustrations of the ordinary camera, but will register itself in shadows of reality so accurate that eyes which will open 1,000 years hence should, with any kind of luck, see us as we are.

Imagine Caesar smiling into the lens; Cleopatra leaving her barge with self-conscious slaves trying to act naturally; Alexander reviewing his armies on the screen; Columbus in the court of Isabella, with a close up of explorer kissing the royal finger tips!

No digging up of burned cities for future generations of historians. We shall all be very, very dead then, yet it must afford the president, traffic policemen, soldiers and sailors and other fixtures of the film news a thrill of satisfaction to think that they may walk, bigger than life, before the vision of races not yet evolved and that the youth of unborn time will behold and sigh: "Ah, those were the days!"

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No. 99—Dixie Limited, 9:56 p. m.

#### TRAINS GOING NORTH.

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No. 94—Dixie Flyer 7:05 p. m.  
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.  
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During all these years it has had a loyal and constant patronage from the best people of the county. It has many subscribers whose names have not been off its subscription lists in 39 years. In many other families, sons have taken their father's places. We would be ungrateful not to appreciate support like this, but we have never come to the reading public with a stronger appeal for patronage than this year. Conditions have greatly changed and paper stock is three times as high as a year ago.

Many newspapers have advanced rates, but in order that the circulation may not be lessened by a higher price the KENTUCKIAN will still be sent for \$2.00 a year, the old price. It will be necessary though to adhere rigidly to the cash system, since more than \$1.00 must be paid in advance for the paper upon which we print 156 papers and the cost of printing leaves but little profit out of the second dollar. We are asking our old subscribers to stand by us in this crisis by renewing promptly.

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#### Charting the Army's Feet.

To a layman, the records of the inspections of the feet of the various militia regiments stationed on the border last summer are astonishing. For example, take the specific case of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania Infantry. Out of 1,087 men inspected only 230 with sound feet were found. Four hundred and seventy-six men were wearing shoes from one to two complete sizes too small. The Sixteenth Pennsylvania sported 750 corns, 762 ingrowing nails, 613 bunions, to say nothing of such esoteric maladies as "exostoses," "pronation" and "hallux valgus," of which latter misery there were 590 well-developed cases. One wonders how the Sixteenth Pennsylvania got over the ground at all.—"The Feet of the Fighting Men," in the World's Work.

#### Contributed From All Countries.

From the southwestern United States every year now there are sent to market tons of dates. If it had not been for the bureau of plant industry and its explorers, the date today would not be an American product. Out of China have come cherries which took gratefully to our soil and climate; from the Altai mountains have come red currants; from the Orient somewhere has come the puckerless and seedless persimmon, and from other places of the far-off have come fruits and vegetables of good garden and table service, and shade trees for the comfort of men in sections of this country where no shade tree of American origin would take root.

#### Why Blotters Are Scarce.

Did you get that stack of blotters with the "ads" on the backs this year? Of course you didn't. It's the "high cost of blotters" now. Owing to the decreased production and the increased cost of paper stock, a Brooklyn paper and blotter concern predicted that blotters this year were going to be about as scarce as eggs.—Brooklyn Eagle.

#### The Logic of It.

"What class of the population do you suppose would make the best submarine crew?"

"Well, the logical conclusion points to the submerged tenth."

#### To Keep Plants Fresh.

There is a simple way to water ferns and flowers which will be of interest to one who must leave them for a time without care. Take a washing tub and place three or four bricks in it and put about two inches of water in the tub. Place the flowers on these bricks and place the tub where they can get the morning sunshine.

#### Hans von Bleichroder.

Hans von Bleichroder, one of the two principal partners of Bleichroder & Co., bankers, Berlin, Germany, died a short time ago at the age of sixty-four.

The banking firm of Bleichroder & Co. came into international prominence when it helped Bismarck finance the war against France, and Hans von Bleichroder was ennobled at that time. His son, Hans, Jr., was killed in action on the Warsaw front, August 1, 1915.

At one time the son was secretly engaged to Princess Sophia of Sax-Weimar, who committed suicide in 1913 because, it was alleged, her father, Prince William, would not permit her marriage. Young Bleichroder studied banking in New York in 1910. The marriage was opposed not so much because young Baron von Bleichroder was beneath the princess in rank, but because he was a Jew and refused to renounce his creed. The elder Bleichroder is said to have been worth more than \$40,000,000.

#### Hope for Benefit From War.

The Boston park shelters about 1,400 animals, ranging from elephants, buffalo and lions to guinea pigs. There has been a little falling off in numbers since the war began, as the European dealers, through whom most of the supply of wild animals came, have in many cases been put out of business by war conditions. It seems quite likely that the war will force the business of supplying wild animals into new channels, and, perhaps, bring American zoological gardens into close relations with the source of supply, especially in Africa, which excels all the rest of the world in the variety and abundance of its large animals.

#### Important Chinese City.

Hankow is in the heart of China, 600 miles from the ocean, with which the Yangtze river is the only practicable communication. It is a flourishing city with many modern conveniences, and with a trade passing through the maritime customs of \$113,940,933 in 1915, exclusive of treasure and coins, which amounted to \$20,557,000. Its foreign trade equaled that of the port of Baltimore in 1914.

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### GETTING READY

For the Coming T. P. A. Meeting at Bowling Green.

Members of Post J. T. P. A. are already beginning to prepare for the annual meeting at Bowling Green May 4 and 5. It is planned to take a big delegation. It is probable that the famous Zonophone band that did such effective work during the booster trips last summer, will be reorganized and with a new line of music will make the trip. Some new members are being tried out and those who make good will be taken into the aggregation. The Boosters themselves may give Bowling Green a visit during the state meeting.

### Potatoes Plentiful.

Commissioner Hartigan, of New York, has made an investigation of the supplies of potatoes in 28 states and finds the claim of a shortage is false. Three of the states replying to his inquiries, Commissioner Hartigan said, offered to send 1,000 carloads of potatoes. Only one of the twenty-eight states, he added, was importing potatoes and onions, whereas another reported it had 10,000,000 bushels of seed stock and about 10 per cent. of 14,000,000 bushels of general crop in warehouses. There are sufficient potatoes and onions on hand now to last until the next crops are gathered, Commissioner Hartigan declared he had been informed.

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General interest is being manifested by musical lovers in the appearance at Union Tabernacle next Friday night of the famous Danish violinist and his company of Metropolitan artists. The American tour of Skovgaard is proving to be a veritable triumph, and Hopkinsville is fortunate at having the opportunity to greet him.

The Olympic Daily Reader says: "Alex Skovgaard and his company of soloists took musical Olympia by storm last night at the Ray theater and time and again were called back for encores that were cheerfully given and graciously received. The Skovgaard concert was the first concert by professionals since Theo Kurl sang in the same theater, and the long

lapse of time seemed to whet the appetite of Olympians for the best in music.

"Skovgaard with his old violin that sends forth tones of rare sweetness and clarity, was easily the feature of the concert, and his efforts were fully appreciated. The ease with which he executes the most difficult numbers was a revelation, his nimble fingers running up and down the strings with precise agility. He was especially good in Tallahassee, by the English composer, Cyril Scott. But every one of his numbers were well received.

"Miss Mildred Haynes, dramatic soprano, received an ovation after the singing of a selection from 'Madame Butterfly' which she gave as a substitute for a duet with Mr. Aubrey N.

Engle, who was indisposed. Likewise Miss Mary Maiben Allen was recalled three times following her presentation of an aria from the opera 'La Favorita.' She responded with 'A Perfect Day' and 'Mighty Lak a Rose,' both of which brought down the house. Susan Emma Drought was very fetching in her presentation of 'The Cuckoo.' This difficult number was given very cleverly. Her 'At Dawning' was also well received.

"Mrs. Alice McClung-Skovgaard at the piano received a decidedly hearty encore for her 'Mephisto Waltz.' Her accompanying was considered well-nigh perfect. The piano she used, which was complimented from the stage by Mr. Skovgaard, was supplied by Mrs. Charles Allen."

### IN CIRCUIT COURT.

By hard work Judge Bush succeeded in empaneling 21 petit jurors by Tuesday and started business with three men shy. Those on hand were: P. E. West, W. A. Lyle, James Baker, L. R. Cayce, W. R. Ledford, J. B. Thweatt, Buck Shelton, J. P. Drake, E. C. Radford, L. L. Lenvell, F. M. Stanley, Buckner Campbell, I. P. Duke, Dennis Pierce, Ben C. Moore, W. R. Stewart, J. W. Shepard, E. H. Armstrong, W. S. Pierce, C. M. Conway and D. E. Foster.

Of 26 Commonwealth cases set for Tuesday, the defendants in only four or five were before the court and there were many continuances and several cases were dismissed.

### DROP IN POTATOES.

Marked Fall In Price Is Expected In Chicago This Week.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Potatoes are expected to show a marked fall in price during the week, commission men declared today, on account of the boycott instigated against them and the heavy receipts. Seventy-four carloads were received yesterday, or nearly double the receipts of any day last week, and today further heavy shipments are looked for.

The wholesale price for the best Western potatoes ranged from \$2.85 to \$3 a bush. today, or a drop of 5 cents a bushel from the price of a few hours before. Mayor Wm. Hale Thompson has a communication from the Southern Rice Growers' association, of Beaumont, Texas, offering "all the rice Chicago wants" at 3-4 cents a pound.

Rev. R. T. Tandy has been elected President of Bethel Male College, succeeding J. G. Brownell, resigned.

### DROP IN PRICES

Foodstuffs Take Big Tumble at Gotham.

New York, Feb. 28.—Food boycotts by retailers and consumers and a rush of foodstuffs into the city forced a perceptible drop in prices today. Heads of city departments attributed the cut in prices of certain supplies to a large number of wholesalers who face large losses.

"Three things have brought about the break in prices," said Commissioner of Weights and Measures Hartigan. "The law of supply and demand, publicity and fear of governmental action."

The commissioner believed that while prices will remain high, they will not return to last week's levels. Health Commissioner Emerson called attention to the waste of cereal foods in the manufacture of alcoholic beverages. Thousands of tons of barley and other grains, he said, are used in beer brewing in this city alone, which ought to be milled for food instead.

Gape extractors 10c., this office

### PURELY PERSONAL

John T. Waller, of Hopkinsville, was in town Saturday. He is architect of the new store house that Baker & Hickman are preparing to erect in the near future.—Madisonville Hustler.

J. W. Riley attended a big jack sale at Lewisburg yesterday.

Miss Katherine Perkins left yesterday for Louisville, where she will enter a preparatory school for trained nurses.

Mrs. Will Major, of Lebanon, Tenn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lula Giles, near Howell.

### Express Companies Combine.

The Clarksville Leaf Chronicle says the American Express Company filled locally 1,860 orders for liquor in January and 1,160 from Feb. 1 to Feb. 22. It says the number of orders through all sources for February will reach 3,000. As a result of changed conditions under the Bone Dry law March 1, the two express companies will operate in connection, using but one office in Clarksville.

### IN OLD AGE

Dr. R. C. Cave Returns to the Church He Forsook In 1889.

Dr. R. C. Cave, formerly pastor of the Ninth Street Christian church in this city, who left his church 27 years ago, and was pilloried as a heretic, was last Sunday restored to full fellowship with the Union Christian church of St. Louis, whose pulpit he resigned in 1889.

In December, 1889, Dr. Cave preached a sermon in which he alluded to Col. Ingersoll's talks on God as represented in the Old Testament stories, and asserted that these old stories did not represent God truly; that the church of his age could not attempt to uphold them without antagonizing the moral sense of the present time, and that the church ought to reject these Old Testament stories and call man to the acceptance of no other God than the infinitely loving Father manifested by Jesus.

A storm followed the publication of the sermon and Dr. Cave withdrew and formed a non-sectarian church, over which he presided until his health failed several years ago. Now broken in health, enfeebled by age, he once more turns to his old religion. He was a Confederate soldier and in his palmy days was a brilliant pulpit orator. He is a brother of Rev. R. Lin Cave, of Nashville.

John Ward, awaiting trial for the alleged murder of Louis Hooker at Fisherville last September, was shot and killed at the court house at Memphis, Monday by Thomas Hooker, brother of Louis Hooker.

### HEAVY TAX.

Prussian Minister Announces Married Men Will Be Relieved.

London, Feb. 28.—Dr. August von Lentze, Prussian minister of finance, has announced a new heavy tax on bachelors, according to a Berlin telegram transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Copenhagen correspondent. Families with children on the other hand, the announcement states, will be relieved of a part of the burden of ordinary taxation, according to the number of their children.

### Tree Butchers.

The "butchery" to shade trees that has been noted in various parts of the city has been the object of a great deal of adverse criticism on the part of several citizens with an eye for the esthetic. In a great many instances, it is said, the "butchery" is not the fault of the owner of the premises, but is the result of his misfortune in employing to trim up the trees the services of some one who knows no more about tree culture than a jack rabbit.

Tree surgery is a profession. There are doctors who doctor trees, prune, trim them, correct their faults, and train them in the way they should grow to make the healthiest and prettiest tree. Then there are others who feel the pinch of hard times, shoulder an ax and represent themselves as tree experts in order to fatten their pocketbooks with a dollar or two and keep the wolf from the door. It is to these latter, according to the critics, that Clarksville has fallen victim.

W. S. Baldwin, County Farm Agent, was questioned regarding tree pruning. He stated that one fact that probably few people realize, is that a tree secures a greater percentage of its food through its leaves than from the earth. This being true, one can naturally see how a tree would suffer if its trunk and all of its limbs were chopped down to give it the appearance of a coat rack.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

### A Chapter of Horrors.

A train carrying 228 invalid Russian soldiers, who were on their way home from Germany through Sweden, went off the track late Monday night between Gelle and Soderhamm, says a dispatch from Stockholm. The first car, carrying twenty-three insane Russian soldiers, was demolished and all its passengers killed. About twenty-five persons in other cars were killed. The work of rescue was made difficult by the condition of the passengers, most of whom were blind, had lost arms or legs or were otherwise rendered incapable of helping themselves. Their hardships were increased by the fact that the wreck occurred in darkness at a distance from any important town.

Thirteen people were killed by a tornado in Middle Alabama.

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